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Subject: Radio Shack HTX-202--a good choice?
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In article <33g64m\$sde@pt9201.ped.pto.ford.com>, shen@pt9222.ped.pto.ford.com
(Pius Shen) says:

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>pruth@ocvaxa.cc.oberlin.edu wrote:

>: I'm waiting for my tech license to arrive, and have
>: been going around and around trying to decide what
>: would be a good rig...the dual banders are nice
>: but expensive, and the accessories and batteries
>: seem overpriced and proprietary, esp. with the
>: Standard twin-band. I keep going back to the
>: HTX-202--the accessories are very reasonably priced,
>: and the thing can run on AAs. Although this
>: may be a FAQ, I would like to know the consensus
>: of the on-line ham community on the pros and cons
>: of the HTX-202 before I call up those nice people
>: in Texas and get me one real cheap. Thanks for
>: your advice. --Bill Ruth pruth@ocvaxa.cc.oberlin.edu

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>I heard that HTX-202 is a very decent 2M radio for the price. RS has it on
>sale from time to time. The last time I checked was around \$188 during the
>Dayton Ham convention.

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I have a couple of them. They have been beat about badly for the past year,
still work great, haven't shed vital parts. Did buy a bigger battery pack for the
rigs (8 Nicads) at the last two Huntsvill hamfests. They live in the car or on my
belt constantly. They aint small, or pretty, but they are reasonable and they
work well.

No, there are no mods for extended anything. And there is little intermod,
either.

Helical filter on front end solves that. I use mine on a discone at home and a
5/8

magmount whip on the car.

I'm happy with the price/features/performance.

--Rich, KE4GNK

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Subject: Yeasu FT2400H Rx mod
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mensing@xerox.com (David Mensing) writes:

>Has anyone completed the mod for the Yeasu FT2400H to open the Rx to 118-174 Mhz?

>I have noticed that transmissions in the airband (118-136 Mhz) rarely break the
squelch. Is this due to the fact that the airband is AM and the FT2400H is an
>FM rig or did I mess up this very simple mod?

I have noted that each 2400 will vary in how low the PLL will lockup.
I have two and they are both different, but neither will really cover
enough of the air band to be worthwhile.

Gary

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